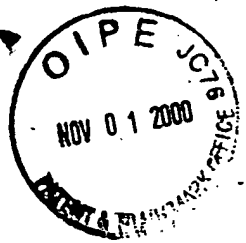


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Docket No. 0635MH-40894
Prior Application Serial No. 08/551,198
First Named Inventor: Frederick Herz et al.

REQUEST FORM FOR CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(d)

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This is a request for a filing a: X continued prosecution application (CPA)
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under 37 CFR 1.53(d) of pending prior application Serial No. 08/551,198 filed on 31 OCTOBER 1995 by Frederick Herz et al. for **SYSTEM FOR CUSTOMIZED ELECTROINC IDENTIFICATION OF DESIRABLE OBJECTS.**

The above-identified prior application in which no payment of the issue fee, abandonment of, or termination of proceedings has occurred. Please use all the contents of the prior application file wrapper, including the drawings, as the basic papers for the continued application. The filing of this CPA is a request to expressly abandon the prior application as of the filing date of the request for a CPA. (37 CFR 1.53(b) must be used to file a continuation, divisional, or continuation-in-part of an application that is not to be abandoned.)

1. Enter the amendment previously filed on under 37 CFR 1.116 but unentered, in the prior application.
2. X A preliminary amendment will follow shortly.
3. This application is being filed by less than all the inventors named in the prior application. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.53(d), the Commissioner is requested to delete the name(s) of the following person or persons who were named as inventors in the prior nonprovisional application but are not inventors of the invention being claimed in this application:

<p>"EXPRESS MAIL" No. EL701817700US Date of Deposit: 1 NOVEMBER 2000</p> <p>I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. §1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.</p> <p>by _____</p>

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The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 1 and 2 above.

Basic fee		\$ 355.00
Extra total claims (14 x 9.00)	=	\$ 126.00
Total filing fee	=	\$ 481.00

4. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, and 1.18 which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Account 50-1060. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

5. ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 926.00 for the extension fee and for the filing fee.

6. ☐ A new power of attorney is enclosed (adding prosecution attorneys).

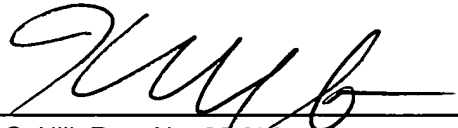
7. ☒ Also enclosed: Petition for Extension-Three Month
 Our return postcard
 Copy of previously filed Revocation of Power of Attorney and New Power of Attorney

8. ☒ A new correspondence address is provided below:

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ACCESS TO PRIOR APPLICATION: The filing of this CPA will be construed to include a waiver of confidentiality by the applicant under 35 U.S.C. 122 to the extent that any member of the public who is entitled under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.14 to have access to, copies of, or information concerning, the other application or applications in the file jacket.

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